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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: R. Fuller
Toshihiko TSUJI)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2851
Application No.: 09/821,024)	
	:	Confirmation No.: 5544
Filed: March 30, 2001)	
	:	Allowed: October 2, 2003
For: ILLUMINATION OPTICAL SYSTEM IN)	
EXPOSURE APPARATUS	:	December 30, 2003

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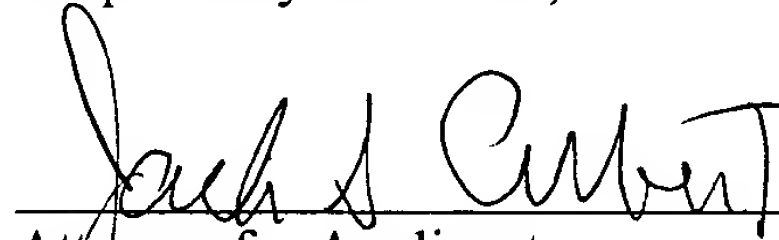
Sir:

Transmitted herewith is one (1) formal drawing sheet, corrected Figure 10, to be substituted for the corresponding drawing sheet currently on file in the above-identified application.

Figure 10 incorporates the change requested by Applicant in a Request for Approval of Drawing Change filed on February 10, 2003, which was subsequently approved by the Examiner in the Notice of Allowability dated October 2, 2003.

Applicant's attorney, Steven E. Warner, may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jack S. Cubert", written over a horizontal line.

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